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#### **IG Integrity Initiative**

# Inspector General Texas Health and Human Services Commission

The Inspector General (IG) is pleased to announce the IG Integrity Initiative (IGII), a new voluntary collaboration between the IG, Managed Care Organizations (MCO), and Medicaid providers. The IGII will strengthen our joint efforts to develop the best Medicaid system Texas can achieve. Integrity guides all we do every day and is shaped in part by Medicaid's statutes and rules. The IG seeks this voluntary partnership with any MCO or provider willing to help improve the integrity of Texas' Medicaid program.

To participate in the IG Integrity Initiative, potential members should:

- Incorporate integrity into their Mission or Values Statement.
- Report all fraud, waste, and abuse to the IG whenever and wherever they find it.
- Train staff on Medicaid integrity practices.
- Include a link from the member's website to the IG's website.
- Display the IG's Integrity Line posters.

The IG commits to working with members who choose to participate in the IG Integrity Initiative by:

- Establishing regular IGII meetings to enhance communication and understanding among all members.
- Working in conjunction with the Health and Human Services Commission's Medicaid and CHIP
  Division to develop and disseminate training videos for providers that provide guidance on best
  practices.

To participate in the IG Integrity Initiative, please sign the attached IGII form and send it to OIGIntegrityInitiative@hhsc.state.tx.us or to this mailing address:

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## IG Integrity Initiative Pledge

- 1) Our Mission or Values Statement communicates our commitment to integrity in our participation in the Texas Medicaid Program.
- 2) We reaffirm our commitment to report to the IG suspected Medicaid fraud, waste, or abuse whenever or wherever we encounter it.
- 3) We commit to training and supporting applicable staff regarding compliance with Texas Medicaid rules and regulations.
- 4) We commit to posting IG Integrity Line posters and to including a link on our website to the IG's website.

Printed Name of Medicaid Provider	Signature of Provider or Authorized Representative
National Provider Identifier/Texas Provider Identifier	Printed Name & Title of Authorized Representative
Date Signed:	
Mailing address:	